Note: Doctoral Students are allowed to do 6 hours of independent study. Masters Students are allowed to do 3 hours of independent study.

ACADEMIC HONESTY:
The following language on academic honesty must be included in all syllabi of the College of Criminal Justice:

Academic Honesty: The Faculty of the College of Criminal Justice expects students to conduct their academic work with integrity and honesty. Acts of academic dishonesty will not be tolerated and can result in the failure of a course and dismissal from the University.

Academic dishonesty includes, but is not limited to, cheating on a test, plagiarism, collusion – the unauthorized collaboration with another person in preparing work offered for credit, the abuse of resource materials, and misrepresentation of credentials or accomplishments as a member of the college.

The University’s policy on academic honesty and appeal procedures can be found in the manual entitled Student Guidelines, distributed by Division of Student Services. (Reference Section 5.3 of the SHSU Student Guidelines)

DISABLED STUDENT POLICY:
“Students with a disability which affects their academic performance are expected to arrange for a conference with the instructor in order that appropriate strategies can be considered to ensure that participation and achievement opportunities are not impaired.” The physically impaired may contact the Director of the Counseling Center as chair of the Committee for Continuing Assistance for Disabled Students by telephone (ext. 1720).

1) Title of Project:

2) Brief description of project:
3) Please explain how this course complements and strengthens the regular coursework for your degree?

4) List several illustrative sources by APA citation format that will be utilized for this project (may be attached).

5) What written products will be produced from this project?

6) Where will results be formally presented (at ACJS, ASC, etc.)?

7) How will a grade be determined? Please be as specific as possible (e.g., quality of literature review, scope of analysis, quality of analysis, breadth and depth of citations employed, whether written or oral presentation or both, any written or oral examinations).

Student’s Signature_____________________________ Date:___________________

Professor’s Signature____________________________ Date:___________________

Print Professor’s Name Here____________________________

Director of CJ Graduate Programs __________________________ Date:___________________